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Eastern Star Elects Officers

The following are the officers elected by the Eastern Star Lodge at the meeting on Tuesday evening.
Worthy Matron—Mrs. June Anderson.
Worthy Patron—Mrs. J. Archibald.
Associate Matron—Mrs. B. Woodhull.
Secretary—Edith Hoskins.
Treasurer—Emily Scott.
Conductress—Ida Orr.
Associate Conductress—Gwalia Collins.

Women's Institute

The annual meeting of the Champion Women's Institute will be held in Campbell's hall at 2:30 p. m. sharp. The election of officers for 1921 takes place at this meeting and the presidents address. Everyone is invited to be present.

To Albertan

Subscribers

Any subscribers to the Morning Alberta who have re-neged or taken subscriptions from Mrs. Frank Sisson should not fail to take advantage of the wheat guessing contest. Those who have not secured coupons for this can obtain them at Sisson's store, also a duplicate of the original Emma's marmalade jar, Frank having brought in a supply of this for the benefit of subscribers.

Subscribers who have helped Mrs. Sisson will be glad to know she is doing well in the contest. We hope to see her bring home one of the big cars to Champion.

Anyone wishing to renew or take a subscription should leave same at Sissons before Dec. 18th, where they will be appreciated.

CHURCH BULLETIN

On Sunday Dec. 12th, Rev. J. W. Oliver will be assisted by Rev. H. D. Marr, of Calgary, who will preach on behalf of the Bible Society at the following places.

Blissus school at 2:30.

Champion at 7:30.

Mr. Marr is a gifted speaker and all are cordially invited to hear him.

Church practice on Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

The Trail Rangers will meet in the church on Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Last Tuesday evening Mr. Oliver and Mr. Sweet gave a lantern entertainment in the Sanderson schoolhouse which was greatly appreciated by the large audience present.

Card of Thanks

W. A. Manhard wishes to thank the many friends of Champion and vicinity for the kindness and sympathy shown during his recent illness.

Matrimonial.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Union Church here on Monday morning, Dec. 6th, when Mr. Joseph E. Glenn and Miss E. Hooper, both of Champion, were united in marriage. Rev. J. W. Oliver officiating.

The best wishes of the community are extended to the bride and groom.

Do your Christmas shopping early. Only a few days more.

Golden Rule Women's Institute

On October 29th, there was a dance held at Alston Schoolhouse, for the purpose of raising funds to buy an oil stove, which the Institute is placing in the Alston school for the present, that the school may have the benefit of same, to assist in making hot lunches. There was a good turn out, a good time and \$17.45 net realized from the proceeds.

We have also to report an unusually splendid success both socially and financially at the box social and dance at the Alston school, Friday Nov. 26th, the net proceeds amounting to \$174.00. The success of the evening was largely owing to the assistance and co-operation of the Alston branch of the U.F.A. We wish to thank them sincerely, not only for their aid but also for attendance the whole organization with only a few exceptions being present.

If you want a good time you can feel assured of securing it by attending any entertainment in the Alston District.

The annual meeting of the W. I. took place at Mrs. Engelking's Dec. 2nd. A large majority of the members were present. After the routine of business was concluded the election of officers took place with the following results:

Mrs. G. E. Voisey, president; Mrs. D. H. Galbraith, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Hutton, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. N. MacIntyre, Secretary; Treasurer, Mrs. J. Pellar; Mrs. J. Archibald, Mrs. M. Engelking, directors; Mrs. G. E. Lawrence, Mrs. Hutton, press correspondents.

It is with regret that we lost two of our members, Mrs. U. G. Anderson and Mrs. W. C. Fry. They have left to reside in another district. Loyal workers as we had in these leave a vacancy that is hard to fill.

It was decided to waive the next meeting therefore there will be no regular meeting till after New Year. An announcement will appear later when and where it will take place.

FOUND—At the opening dance at the School of Agriculture, Clonholm, a string of pearl beads. Owner kindly apply to Mr. J. C. Hooper, Principal.

LOST—PINGTON COCKERELS for sale. Pure bred and choice, breeding stock. Your choice for \$5.00. Apply to Clark Rhodes, Champion.

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Strayed from Banner Farm, River Range 1 brown 3 year old gelding, branded 9A on left shoulder. Reward for information leading to recovery. Apply to A. W. Minard, Champion.

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THURSDAY, Dec. 9, 1920.

Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has been telling the people of Minneapolis that the Canadian west is going to be wonderfully prosperous in the near future. Mr. Beatty must have forgotten that the country at large did not get a 40 per cent. increase in revenue as did the C. P. R. and that far from there being prospects of extra good times ahead the people who have given the situation any study agree that the whole of Canada is facing what will be a serious crisis unless every ounce of good sense is used to combat it. The quicker a gag is provided for the E. W. Beattys, particularly when they go away from home, the better. The head of an organization that would accept increased freight rates from the farmers of the west under prevailing conditions and then talk about good times coming is the limit.

According to the official hanganment the parties requiring his attention are all foreign born, but two English speaking prisoners having been executed in the past eleven years. This is the result of assisted emigration and the belief that it is absolutely necessary to fill this country full of people, regardless of the class. This system has been worked to such an extent that it would be hard for a Canadian to realize that large portions of the country are actually in Canada, and not in the middle of Europe.

MUST WIDEN OUT

Premier Deary evidently has no illusions as to the future of the farmers' party if class features are not eliminated from their organization and support accepted from every available source. In a speech delivered at Chatham, Ont., recently, he said:

"I am going to say something which I know will be approved of by all of the members of the United Farmers of Ontario, but if we are to continue in office and fulfil our greatest mission as a government, the U.F.O. has got to branch out, and broaden out. The old name of the party, if it continues in office, will disappear of necessity, and if I were choosing the new name to be adopted I would christen it, not the farmers' party, but the People's Progressive party, and take in everyone. Before long we will have to develop into a real people's party. The farmers will still have representation in that party, and they will stand for the ideals which they started out with when they went out to get power, but others will be represented as well, and the platform of that party will have to be one which the party desires to be carried out, and not one to be used merely for the purpose of obtaining office."

There are hundreds of voters to whom the name of the party they vote with is a matter of indifference and the People's Progressive Party would answer as well as any other, and whose only objection to the farmers' organization was its exclusive features, fostered largely by leaders in the west.

There is a tendency at the present time on the part of a great many people to trace all their trouble to lack of satisfactory legislation in connection with their particular line of activity. While it might not be correct to state that it makes little difference to any individual in any

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same.

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LIVE POULTRY
At Champion Feed Barn
N. ISAACMAN

occupation as to what government is in power, such a statement would be much nearer the mark than to suggest that all our drawbacks could be remedied by legislation. Whether conservatives, liberals, farmers or labor control the legislation handed out a large section of the community will always be of the opinion that their lack of property is due to the government, while the source of their difficulties is very much nearer home in almost every instance.

FARMERS' BANKS FAIL

The radicalism of North Dakota, in which the farmer movement every-where has taken many extravagant forms in the last few years. One of them was the establishment of a chain of farmers' banks at strategic points in the state. These banks were going to be independent of the regular banks, were going to build up agriculture, regardless of the rest of the community; and typified the force of aggressive agrarianism. In ten days, recently, nine of these farmer banks have shut their doors. They had loaned their deposits to farmers on grain, and when the market fell to unexpectedly low levels their security was wiped out. Putting too many eggs in one basket was the cause of the smash. These banks were not large enough to stem the tide of unloading of grain, nor to stay the general course of economic events. The failure should be a warning against extension in class movement in any form. The local bank system of the United States is vicious enough in any depression, but banks that loan exclusively to one class of customer, in one locality, take large risks. The Canadian system of branch banks dividing loans and taking deposits in all parts of the country, prevents over use of credit in any one line, and really aids the farmers by giving them accommodation up to, but not exceeding what is essentially a safe limit.—The Toronto Mail and Empire.

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ence. A. Goodman—Savoy Hotel
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Place your order for delivery
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THEY HAVE THE ADVANTAGE
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THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT THRO-
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One thousand unemployed returned
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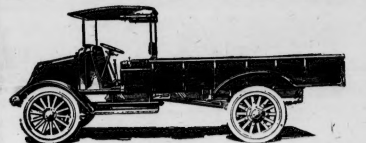
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Hosiery, Silk Gloves, Kid Gloves,
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Blouses, Wool Sweaters, Cut Glass
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Woolen and Cotton Stockings, Jer-
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DATED at Leithbridge, in Alberta, the 11th day of November, 1929.
Solicitors for the plaintiffs.
Approved J. A. JACKSON, L. J. S. C.

CHRONICLE "WANT" ADVERTISEMENTS

Advertisements under this heading not exceeding one inch, 50 cents for first insertion, 35 cents for each subsequent insertion.

Found

A purse containing money and a manure article.
One man's coat on road east of Champion.—Apply to J. N. Beaulieu.

For Sale

Model D. 60 McCullough car for sale at a bargain. Apply to W. A. Schultz, Home Grain Co.

Found

Crunk for Chevrolet car. Owner call at Chronicle office.

Impounded

On the S. W. 13-15-23 w. 1, one dark grey mare, 3 years old, branded 2H on left shoulder. W. N. Fairman, Poundkeeper.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN WHO WISH to marry can be introduced through our bureau, all letters treated confidential for particulars write Mr. Bushman 213 McIntyre Bldg. Winnipeg, Man.

Strayed

On premises of W. R. McRae S. W. 13-15-23 w. 1, one bay yearling gelding left behind at night, right front leg white to knee, white face, no visible brand. Has been on above premises for three months.
F. C. ALCOCK
Brand Reader.

Local & General

Dr. Talbot paid Champion a visit on Saturday last.

Robt. Tyler is now a member of McCullough Bros. staff.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Adams returned from a trip to Calgary on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Hummel left for Calgary on Tuesday, en route to Ramsey, Alta., where they will visit relatives.

Practically no logging is being done in British Columbia this year, the lumber business being at practically a standstill.

Preparations for Christmas trade are under way in all the stores in town, and everyone is looking forward to a merry Christmas.

The new proprietors have overhauled the Champion Garage and now have it in first class shape. The interior is heated by a hot water system.

The Christmas shopper is urged to get busy on every hand, but all the same the bulk of the Christmas buying will be done in the last few days before the event.

Unemployment is becoming a serious consideration in all the cities, large and small. It would appear that the day of high wages is passing along with other high prices.

The warm weather has had a depressing effect on business in winter goods, but in every other respect business has been highly favorable to all concerned, unless it be coal mining interests.

Lost—In Champion or at Roy Robert's sale, on Monday Nov. 18th, Ladies Gold Watch initials E. T. S. engraved on case, keeper attached. Finder will receive \$5.00 reward on return to Mrs. B. Berger, Champion.

Mrs. W. C. Fry was a visitor to Calgary this week.

Lost—A large cameo brooch, between C. P. R. station and Campbell's store. Finder please return to C. P. R. Station.

Anyone wishing to renew or take a subscription should leave same at Sissons before Dec. 18th, where they will be appreciated.

J. McCullough, of Calgary, spent the week end in Champion. He reports business in Calgary to be good as far as his firm is concerned.

Straws seemed to indicate that the women of Champion were going to take a hand in municipal affairs this year, but the critical day passed without any move being made.

J. W. Goodnight's dairy is now equipped with an up-to-date milk wagon, formerly the property of L. H. Graves. Naturally the citizens will welcome this sign of returning prosperity.

Campbell's Limited have about the nattiest Christmas decorations on their store premises it has been our lot to see. This store looks like Christmas anyway, of the good old kind.

McCullough Bros. have introduced the cash system in their business coupled with a decided reduction in prices. They state the change is proving popular with their customers.

There was not a large turnout for the nomination meeting on Monday evening last, but those present were unanimous in requesting the members of the 1929 council to retain office for the coming year. Consequently Messrs. B. Hummel, C. McLean, and J. N. Beaulieu will handle village affairs for another year. A vote of thanks to the council was passed by the meeting.

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In view of the present demand for breeding sows the Department of Agriculture has arranged with the Live Stock Exchange at Edmonton and Calgary to select the best young sows from those coming into the Stock Yards. Those who wish to secure one or more may write directly to the Secretary of the Edmonton Live Stock Exchange, Ltd., Stock Yards, Edmonton, or to the Secretary of the Calgary Live Stock Exchange, Alberta Stock Yards, Calgary. A deposit of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) should accompany each order—insurance to be paid on delivery. When ordering specify weight and breeding desired. THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE will have a representative at the Yards to assist in the selection of the sows.

HON. DUNCAN FARSHALL, Minister of Agriculture, Edmonton, Alberta. S. G. CARLYLE, Live Stock Commissioner.

Oats--Oats.
Good, heavy Feed Oats in any quantity
THE HOME GRAIN CO'Y.
W. A. SCHULTZ, Agent.



The "Chorivari" is an institution in Champion. Just when it started is not a matter of record, but it was long ago as most of the couples married in the past ten years have been the recipients of this kind of "send off" as a remembrance of the occasion. The great popularity of the institution is

particularly evidenced by the fact that all the old timers, who were honored by the citizens in this way are now the leaders in seeing that no one is missed, and so far has this custom gone that the average citizen hardly feels legally married until after the chorivari. The occasion which

inspired our artist was provoked by Mr. and Mrs. George Dupue, but as Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Oliver had been omitted from the solemn rite owing to the fact that their honeymoon had been spent out of the reach of the citizens' organization, this celebration was made a double-header and at such an occasion drew the whole town

into its maw is putting it mildly. Anyone present on the occasion would have been surprised to find there were so many people available in a place the size of Champion. The statement has been made that the secretary of the Village took advantage of the opportunity to take the census, and the turnout certainly justified

such an operation, although we have no proof that this was done it must be admitted that it was a great chance, and our local authorities miss few chances. Had space and time permitted it was the intention to recall some wonderful experiences of the past in the chorivari line. Strange as it may appear some

of the couples honored have at the time signally failed to appreciate the honor conferred upon them, but that reflection has always led to a more cheerful view of the matter is shown by the enthusiasm the couples of chorivari fame display in helping the good game along when someone else gets married.



Only 13 More Shopping Days Before Christmas

Messrs. Creighton and Mayers, of the Savoy hotel and Savoy dining room, respectively, spent the week end in Calgary.

Lost.—In Champion on Saturday, November 27th, a gold brooch, set with pearls. Finder please leave at Chronicle office or return to owner, Mrs. Pellar.

Note F. J. Clapp's advt. Frank has new one of the best looking harness shops on the line, in the premises lately vacated by J. C. Robinson's grocery.

The wheat market this year has been about the most trying proposition for the farmers that could be imagined. Many tried to take advantage of the bulges at the right time but not many succeeded. Buying from the United States appears to have been the only salvation or the situation.

Mr. John Magnusson, of Lomond, brother-in-law of I. Granlin, is a visitor in town this week.

H. J. Meyers has secured the agency for the Chautauque desk, undoubtedly one of the best presents ever designed for a child from five to fourteen years old. You should see this desk to fully appreciate it.

A further \$882 was received at the central office of the United Farmers of Alberta Tuesday morning in connection with the membership drive. This now brings the total to \$60,843. It is expected that within the next few days returns will be received from the northern parts of the province. It is anticipated that these will considerably augment the total—Calgary Herald.

The Manitoba Free Press comments upon poster announcements in Winnipeg of a meeting to be addressed by Mr. Crerar, "leader of the National Progressive Party." "This," says the Free Press, "marks the definite abandonment of the use of the title 'the Farmers' party' which has become a misnomer." Has Mr. Woods given Alberta's sanction to the change?—Calgary Herald.

Everybody will agree with the Dominion Animal Husbandman, who writes an interesting article in the Agricultural Gazette of Canada for November on "Federal Exhibits in the Show Ring" that the exhibition of good stock of any breed, wherever the owner may be, is the most potent kind of advertising for the breed, and that Canadian interests could in no wise suffer by a creditable showing of Government stock at the greatest stock shows in the world. The article preferred to is a sort of defence of

the action taken by the Experimental Farm system in making entries at various fairs, local and provincial. Exception to this course has been advanced on the ground that it is a case of the people competing against the people. On the other hand it is desirable that farmers and the public generally should know what is being done with the money provided by them. As Mr. George B. Rothwell, the Dominion Husbandman, suggests, if the entries can top the classes there is the best kind of evidence right in the spotlight of publicity that the public are at least being supplied with a run for their money. Mr. Rothwell lays down certain restrictions under which such exhibits should be made. He also details certain successes that have already been achieved in the show ring by the Experimental Farm system.

Store News At McCullough Bros

The Only Cash Store. Champion.

Christmas Novelties in Abundance!

This is the place to choose Sensible Xmas Gifts. We have on display articles suitable for all members of the family and are receiving daily shipments of goods suitable for this season.

We have just put into stock a new lot of

CHILDREN'S SHOES

Laced and Button. Some of these are made specially for fat ankle babies. Also Chocolate Colored Pumps.

In order that you may fill up your cellar with good things while the mild weather lasts we will offer

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY:

No. 1 White Potatoes, per 100 lbs.	\$2.90
No. 1 Yakma Apples wrapped in the following in the following varieties, Johnathans, Wagner and Grimes Golden ad, per box.	\$3.45
Pick these goods up while you have the opportunity	
5 lb. Oro Brand, Seedless Raisins.	1.75
5 lb. Plume Brand, Seedless Raisins.	1.75
5 lb. Oro Brand Seeded Raisins.	1.70
5 lb. Plume Brand, Seeded Raisins.	1.70
Shellys Bread (Calgary), 2 for	.25
50 lbs. Salt Block.	1.10

See our bargain table of Men's, Women's and Boys Felt Shoes, all varieties, going at per pair. 3.25
See our Bargain Table of Girls and Women's Leather Shoes, per pair. 3.95

Spend Your Money Where it Will Bring the Most.

Motto: "S.P.Q.R."

McCullough Bros.

Champion's Leading Store.

Champion and Calgary.

Lost

A large canoe brooch, between C. P. R. station and Campbell's store. Finder please return to C. P. R. station.

Winter Pasture

Can handle about 25 head of horses for the winter. Write or inquire from A. C. Elbert, Long Coulee Post Office.



The Horse's Comfort

Is assured if the blanket be procured here. Also his appearance. Our collection of horse blankets for both driving and stable use is the largest in town. From a plain heavy blanket for use in the stable to a smart looking covering for road use you can have a choice to be had nowhere else.

F. J. CLAPP, HARNESS MAKER